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PERSONAL POINTS.

—Capt. Grant was up from Ellinwood, Saturday.
—J. B. Prose was over from Hoisington, Monday.
—Howard Dittenbacher came in from the east, Tuesday.
—Henry Nordman, of Olmitz, was a Bend visitor, last Saturday.
—James Sroufe and family visited relatives in Larned, Tuesday.
—James Leonnen returned from his eastern trip, the first of the week.
—Nick Klepper, of the east side, was in Great Bend on business, Monday.
—Mrs. C. B. Morgan was quite ill the past few days, but is better now.
—W. H. Vosburg, of Pawnee Rock, was doing business in the city Friday.
—Mrs. S. B. Gano, north of town, is the happy possessor of a fine new piano.
—Postmaster Verry, of Redwing, was doing business in the county seat Friday.
—Miss Jessie Vosburg returned from the State normal at Empora, last week.
—Meta Weiss has been kept from school by an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.
—I. Liebenstein, late of St. Louis, Mo., has taken a position with the Cyclone store.
—W. H. Grant of Comanche township, was doing business in Great Bend, Saturday.
—Will Rush is getting around now in pretty good shape, though still unable to do any work.
—Miss Nellie Boughan went to Kansas City, Monday, to visit with friends for a couple of weeks.
—George Valerius, a brother of Mrs. Nick Cossman, deceased, was in attendance at the funeral Sunday.
—John Wolf and Joe Sprinker were up from Ellinwood, Sunday, to attend the Freddie Miller funeral.
—C. G. Morrison returned from Colorado, Monday. Says there is no use of everybody rushing out there.
—The father of Frank Herren, west of town, came out from Pittsburg, Pa., the first of the week, to visit his son.
—Tom Reynolds, of Kansas City, stopped off to see his parents last week, on his way to the Colorado gold fields.
—Rev. A. Countryman, father of Mrs. Will Osmond, filled the Congregational pulpit at McPherson last Sunday.
—Chas. D. Hall has quit the Cyclone, and will assist his father in the Logan township creamery after the first of the month.
—Mrs. Henry Giddens, who has been visiting the old folks here, left on Wednesday morning to join her husband at the M. E. conference, in Wichita.
—Dr. Castle has been out on the streets considerably of late. His many friends will be glad when they can find him in his dental parlors once more.

Common School Examinations.

The final examination for common school diplomas will be held on April 3d and 4th, as follows:

At No. 92 (Albert) for all applicants in Districts 6, 11, 39 and 92.

At No. 28 (Ivins) for all applicants in Districts 5, 7 and 28.

At No. 65 (Galatia) for all applicants in Districts 70 and 81.

At No. 29 (Hoisington) all applicants in Districts 29, 31, 45, 65 and 78.

At No. 68 (Stokopf) all applicants in Districts 63, 73, 88, 98 and 102.

At No. 80 (Clafin) all applicants in Districts 61, 75 and 101.

At No. 9 (Pettys) all applicants in Districts 9, 30 and 33.

At No. 24 (Grant) all applicants in Districts 24, 49 and 69.

At No. 82 (Cole) all applicants in Districts 3, 15, 19, 29 and 82.

At No. 71 (Riegel) all applicants in Districts 46 and 71.

The applicants must be at the school house ready for examination at 9 a. m., April 3d. Paper will be furnished free.

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Ed Brazel returned to his claim in the Strip, the first of the week, after a visit of a week or more with the home folks.

The city registration books will close Friday of this week. Last call.

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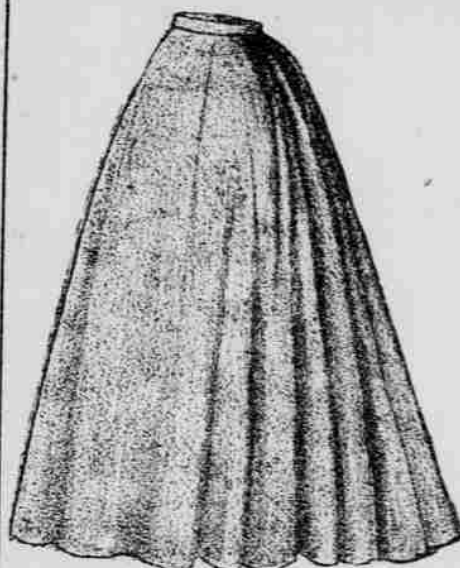
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\$1.48.

Handsome black satine underskirt, silk embroidered, in all colors worth \$2.00 for
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF KANSAS,

BARTON COUNTY,

Rholfing & Co.,

vs.

Kate Watson (formerly Kate Hutton.)
By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed and delivered, issued out of the 20th Judicial District Court of the state of Kansas, sitting in and for Barton county, in said state, I will, on May 4th A. D. 1896 between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 11 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court House West door in the city of Great Bend, in the County and State aforesaid, offer at public sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described Real property, to wit:
Lot ten (10) in block two (2), in the town of Galatia, Barton county, Kansas, and also on the west half of the northwest quarter of section 16, township 16, Range 14, in Barton county, Kansas.
Said property to be sold as commanded by the said Special Execution.
L. P. ABER, Sheriff.
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Sheriff's office March 25th, 1896.

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Timber Culture Final Proof—Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Dodge City Kansas,
March 18, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that William E. Verry has filed notice of intention to make final proof before Probate Judge of Barton county, Kan., on the 23d day of May, 1896 on timber culture application No. 6738, (L. S.), for the N. E. quarter of Section No. 8, in Township No. 18, South, Range No. 12 West.

He names as witnesses: Ben Garretson of Odlin Kan., Fred Garretson of Redwing, Kan., Rely Uden of Redwing, Kan., Henry Cook of Great Bend, Kansas.

JOHN I. LEE,
Register.

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